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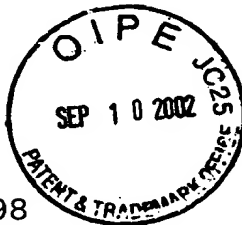
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Transmitted herewith are an Amendment, responsive to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2002; a substitute copy of the PTO-1449 forms mailed February 4, 2002 (34 pages); a check for \$200 for the fee for a two month extension of time; and a return postcard in connection with the above-captioned patent application. If a Petition for extension of time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

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